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Applicant: Chuan-Pei Yu, et al.  
"Direct Backlight Module"  
Our Ref: B-5146 /621065-3/AS

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Dear Examiner Neils:

Enclosed is a Response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 20, 2005, consisting of:

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Final Official Action dated October 20, 2005, a response to which is initially due by January 20, 2006. Since this paper is filed in response to a Final Office Action, the Applicants submit that this paper is a reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 and request expedited processing of this Amendment after Final Rejection as described in MPEP 714.13. Please enter the following amendments remarks into the prosecution history of the subject application. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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